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LETTER DATED 1 FEBRUARY 1993 FROM THE PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE OF THE ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF IRAN TO THE UNITED NATIONS ADDRESSED TO THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

Upon instructions from my Government, I have the honour to bring to your attention the following instances of violations by Iraq of the terms of the cease-fire between the two countries.

1. On 12 September 1992, at 1130 hrs., two Iraqi forces were observed patrolling at the GCs of 40-58 on the map of Yebis in NML, north-west of border pillar 22/9.

2. On 12 September 1992, Iraqi forces were observed setting up two group tents at the GCs 004-506 on the map of Marivan in NML, border pillars 95/1 and 95/2.

3. On 16 September 1992, at 0700 hrs., 13 Iraqi forces were observed conducting training exercises and then separating on the same day around the GCs of 010-944 on the map of Maymeh River in NML, in front of border pillars 24/2 and 24/3.

4. On 20 September 1992, two Iraqi forces stationed around the GCs of 522-989 on the map of Kharatha in NML north-west of border pillar 48.

5. On 22 September 1992, at 1940 hrs., three Iraqi forces were observed demolishing bunkers and trafficking around the GCs of 353-435 on the map of Kuh-Tunnel in NML, south border pillar 25/11.

6. On 25 September 1992, at 1600 hrs., three sections of the existing embankments and mines at the GCs of 433-658 on the map of Naft-shahr in NML were removed by an Iraqi bulldozer.

7. On 1 October 1992, at 1000 hrs., Iraqi forces fired eight illuminating shells at the GCs of 375-105 and 398-122 on the map of Khosravi in NML, south-west of border pillar 56/1.

8. On 1 October 1992, at 1920 hrs., a number of Iraqi forces were observed firing in the air for 10 minutes at the GCs of 594-335 on the map of Kanisheikh in NML, west of border pillar 40/1.

9. On 5 October 1992, at 1620, 1640, 1710 and 1730 hrs., four extensive explosions were heard at the GCs of 625-248 on the map of Ghasre-Shirin in NML. As a result a white smoke covered the area.

It would be highly appreciated if this letter were circulated as a document of the Security Council.

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